

C. The local health director is responsible for providing assistance in implementing these regulations to the school divisions in his jurisdiction and for providing immunizations to children determined not to be adequately immunized, who present themselves to the local health department for immunization.

D. The school principals of public schools and the principals, headmasters and directors of non-public schools and child care centers shall require each student attending their institutions to provide documentary proof of immunization against the diseases listed in § 3.1.

### **§ 2.3 Application of regulations.**

These regulations have general application throughout the Commonwealth.

### **§ 2.4 Application of the Administrative Process Act.**

The provisions of the Virginia Administrative Process Act, contained in Chapter 1.1:1 (§ 9-6.14:1 et seq.) of Title 9 of the *Code of Virginia*, shall govern the adoption, amendment, modification and revision of these regulations, and the conduct of all proceedings and appeals hereunder.

### **§ 2.5 Powers and procedures of regulations not exclusive.**

The board reserves the right to authorize a procedure for enforcement of these regulations which is not inconsistent with the provisions set forth herein and the provisions of Chapter 2 (§ 32.1-35 et seq.) of Title 32.1 of the *Code of Virginia*.

## **Part III IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS**

### **§ 3.1 Immunization Requirements.**

Every new student and every child attending a licensed child care center shall provide documentary proof of adequate immunization with the prescribed number of doses of each of the vaccines and toxoids listed in the following subdivisions, as appropriate for his age. A copy of every student's immunization record shall be on file in his school record.

**1. Diphtheria and Tetanus Toxoids and Pertussis Vaccine (DTP)** - For students less than seven years of age, a minimum of three doses of DTP, with one dose administered after the student's fourth birthday. If any of these three doses must be administered on or after the seventh birthday, Td (adult tetanus toxoid full dose and diphtheria toxoid reduced dose) should be used instead of DTP.